

5th Grade

APRIL NEWSLETTER

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This Month in ELA

ELA: Module 8 - A New Home

Over the next three weeks, our class will build their knowledge about the experience of moving to a new country, with a focus on the poetry genre. We will read texts and view videos about how people adapt to new experiences to make a home in a new place. In preparation for the state test, students will practice writing both short and extended responses to literature. We will also be reviewing multiple choice strategies.

Important Dates

4/14-4/18 - Spring recess,
school closed

4/22 - ELA State Test Day 1

4/23 - ELA State Test Day 2

Bucket Fillers

Class 501

April: Elene Giunashvili,
Yoselin Tecum

Class 502

April: Ashley Es Garcia Yax,
Dominick Hernandez,
Wazeedah Irfan

This Month In Math

MATH: Topic 11 - Understand Volume Concepts & Topic 12 - Convert Measurements

Topic 11 focuses on volume. Students will learn how to calculate the volume of a rectangular prism and combine multiple prisms to find total volume. They'll explore the concept of a unit cube and use models to develop the volume formula—area of the base times height.

In Topic 12 students will continue to develop their understanding of customary and metric units of length, capacity, weight, and mass. This topic focuses on converting among different-sized standard measurement units within a given measurement system, as well as converting among units of time. Your student will use this understanding in solving multi-step and real-world problems